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Ashburton Lions Food Trailer being operated at the South Island Motorhome Show by St John Cadet Unit.

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Lions Serve; it's that simple

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Zone Meeting Dates

One TBA Two TBA Three 15 August Four 8 August Five TBA Six TBA



(As of Tuesday 11 July Boston time Wednesday 12 July 2023 NZ time)

We elcome to the 2023/24 Lions year. June and July are the months when clubs hold their annual changeover and installation of Officers for the next year. I have been privileged to be part of some of these nights. I hear and see evidence of what clubs have achieved over the past year and the effect of us all serving has had on our communities and individuals. Wouldn't it be good if we could group all details of all of this service into one promotional feature of what we do and the support that has provided by all of us "together" as 202J Lions?

My theme for the year is "Lions serve; it's that simple". Some may ask how I arrived at this? I had the need to look up the history of our great organisation recently for a document I was preparing. Under a heading titled "On a Mission to Serve" the paragraph starts with those five words. Of course, this is what we have done and have been doing since we first began in 1917. It is still relevant.

Our District goal(s) are similar to and build on those of last year so as we can see continuing improvement with key issues as we move our District forward. This includes:

- All clubs report <u>all service activities online</u>.
- We grow our District membership by a net 25 members.
- We explore the opportunity for a new Lions club and/or Branch clubs in our District.
- Each club has member(s) attend training sessions.
- All clubs provide support for the work of LCIF.

I would also like to see greater involvement of clubs in supporting our Lions national youth programmes along with exploring opportunities to establish another three or four Leos.

I look forward to working with all clubs and Lions during the next year.

Lion Garth "Lions serve; it's that simple"

2023-2024 Peace Poster Contest

The theme is "Dare to Dream"

To a young person, a dream isn't just a wish, hope or desire - it's a path, a goal, an ambition. But achieving that dream takes hard work.

So this year, we're asking young people to show how they'll turn their dream of a peaceful world into reality.

- Info at: <u>https://www.lionsclubs.org.nz/services/youth/international-peace-poster-contest</u>
- Kits available from 15 January one kit per Lions club is available from the Multiple District office. Follow up with schools directly to give schools plenty of time to include it in their activities.
- 15 October: Deadline for entries to DG Garth Bateup



Changing of the Guard



DG Jules presents the gavel & gong to DG Elect Garth at the close of the May 27/28 Cabinet meeting

Congratulations!

King's Birthday honours presented to:

- PID Tony Hanning: MNZM (Member of the New Zealand Order of Merit) for services to education & the community. A member of the Green Island Lions Club.
- Ron Smith: QSM (Queens Service Medal), for Services to the Community and Land Search and Rescue. A member of the Methven Lions Club.

Global Membership Approach

he new 2023-24 Lions year provides an opportunity for clubs and District to build upon the outcomes of the 2022-23 year. Our District did well compared with other Districts in MD202 but membership recruitment and retention remains a challenge for all Districts.

Following changeover all clubs have new officers with the opportunity to provide enthusiastic leadership leading to greater visibility of what Lions do and the fellowship they enjoy. Let all of us support our club leaders in growing and showing our Clubs. Make your club one you are happy and proud to be part of and comfortable inviting others to join and enjoy with you.

Congratulations to all the new club officers and best wishes for an active and enjoyable year in Lions.

Ken Whitcombe GMA and GMT Coordinator

Application For LMLCCT Disaster Relief Grant

Disaster Relief Grant of up to \$10,000 may be applied for by the Current District Governor following a natural disaster or severe weather event that significantly impacts a community within their District.

[Application must be from the current District Governor.]

District Governors have up to one (1) month from the date of the disaster to apply, and approved grants shall be made available immediately (within 24 to 48 hours).

Disaster Relief Grants are for the sole purpose of alleviating humanitarian need for up to a maximum of 6 months following the date of the disaster within the parameters identified on the application form and as agreed in writing by the Trust Chairman.

Application forms and criteria are available from the District Lloyd Morgan Trustee and the Trust Chairman.

PCC Graham Edge LMLCCT Trustee 202J

Directory Update

District 202J & MD202 Directories

Clubs, please advise any directory corrections so that these can be published.

 Dunedin Host Lions Club New meeting venue: Diggers Tavern - RSA, 6 Church Street, Mosgiel

Dates to Diary

August 6: Presidents' Luncheon The Brydone, Oamaru

August 15:

Deadline for clubs to electronically send one nomination for the Kindness Matters Award to District 202J GST Coordinator, Gerald Burgess

8th - 10th September:

ANZI Pacific Forum, Christchurch (see June J-Times) Registrations now open www.lionsanzipacificforum.com

Friday 5th, Saturday 6th & Sunday 7th April 2024: District 202J Convention Hotel Ashburton, ASHBURTON

Peace Poster:

Follow up with schools straight after the 3rd term resumes on 17 July



Focus on Zone 4 News

... Winter Crop Competition:

As per past years, the **Waiareka Valley Lions Club** and the **Waianakarua Lions Club** ran a successful Winter Crop Competition which pits North Otago growers against each other in a battle to grow the best fodder beet, kale, swede and winter rape. This year, the clubs raised about \$64,000 which will support the Rescue Helicopter, Oamaru St John Building Fund and the new Waitaki Events Centre. It is a huge workload for the two clubs with many, many hours spent on the project.

Oamaru:

Had a successful book launch night at the Oamaru Club which raised \$3,000 for Cyclone Gabrielle Relief. It was a great night enjoyed by all who attended. On a sad note, the club farewelled Tony Cartwright, a great Lion and a past top North Otago cricketer, who died in May after a short illness.

♣ North Otago:

Congratulations to Judy Phillips and Beryl Naismith who received International President's medals at the Convention – well deserved. The club had its usual cheese-roll fundraiser in May and set a record for the number of cheese-rolls made. In June, many senior citizens from rest homes in Oamaru enjoyed the lunch provided by the club.

Palmerston:

Have been busy with manure bagging and their Kirkwall Street Environmental project. Will miss their secretary, who for personal reasons has transferred back to North Otago. However, the club will be in good hand as past secretary, Lynnette, has taken back her old job again.

> Klaus Steiner Zone 4 Chairman

Multiple District 202 Awards

- What Are They?

- Ron Usmar Community Service Award Encourages full club member participation in a community service project.
- Pat Ryan Youth Award Awarded to the best Youth oriented service project in New Zealand.
- Ron Rowe Public Relations and Communication Award Recognising excellence, innovation and effectiveness in communications and Public Relations using a range of mediums (club social media, club website, club bulletin, communication within the club, other forms of communication & publicity - e.g. tear drop flags, posters, newspaper articles)
- Keith Mitchell Membership Growth, Extension & Retention Award Awarded to the club with the greatest growth in membership.
- Kindness Matters Service Award See https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/kindness-matters-service-award

District closing date is 30th September in each year in respect of the immediately preceding Lions fiscal year. (PDG Jules Ellis' year 2022/2023)

Send your entries to DG Garth

There are links to all the awards criteria at: <u>Awards :: Lions Clubs New Zealand</u>

Clarkson Trophy - Public Relations & Communication (refer to pages 20 & 21, October 2022 emailed J-Times)

Please now prepare & gather from the 2022/2023:year, (PDG Jules Ellis)

- the up to 500 word description
- screen shots of your club website & social media pages
- evidence of other forms of advertising or media
- entry date will be advised

Incoming emails to any club member are incoming correspondence - to be taken to your club meetings



Record incoming & outgoing correspondence in your minutes

Lake Tekapo Lions Club Donates Gloves & Mittens



Photo credit James Cage

hen Lake Tekapo Community Development worker, Julie McDonald saw a post on the Community Facebook page, that Jasmine (Head Teacher) at the Kindergarten was looking for donations of gloves and mittens to keep the children attending the Playgroup and Kindergarten warm while playing outside, she had an idea.

The Lake Tekapo Lions Club collects donations from the Wishing Well by the MacLaren

Footbridge, so Julie approached the Lions to see if they could 'Grant Jasmine's wish', with funds from the wishing well. The Lions members loved this idea and donated 30 new pairs of small mittens and gloves for the tamariki.

In the photo by the Wishing Well, the children are showing off their new gloves & mittens with Jasmine & Emma from Lake Tekapo Kindergarten, Stewie Inch and Steve Robertson from Tekapo Lions and Julie.

Cabinet Meeting Dates:

Saturday 5th August – Oamaru

Sunday 6th August – Presidents' Luncheon, Oamaru Saturday 11 November – Oamaru Saturday 3rd February 2024 – Oamaru Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th May 2024 - Ashburton

District 202J Lions Clubs Payment / Banking Details

As at 14 April 2023 and until further notice

- District 202J Administration Account: 06 0837 0406969 00 For 202J Dues, MD202 Dues & 202J administration payments (include club number & invoice number) BANK ACCOUNT CHANGED
- District 202J Charitable Trust: 06 0837 0407013 00 For donations to CMF, Camp Quality South, Sight First, Type 1 Diabetes, (include club number & reason for payment)
 BANK ACCOUNT CHANGED
- Lions Clubs International: 03 0502 0081103 00 For LCI Dues (NO CHANGE IN BANK ACCOUNT)
- Lions Clubs International Foundation: 03 0502 0081103 00 (NO CHANGE IN BANK ACCOUNT) For LCIF Disasters, Appeals, Melvin Jones Fellowship (include Membership ID & reference of either MJF MBR or LIFE MEMBER, MJF Accumulated Funds, MJF Applications etc., share pins (include Member ID & your name) and personal donations. Please email Les Box at landjbox@outlook.com with the detail of every LCIF banking
- Lloyd Morgan Lions Club Charitable Trust: 02 0528 0038410 00 (NO CHANGE IN BANK ACCOUNT)
 For Donations, Awards, Dinners etc (include club number & what payment is for)
- For Lions Store Purchases: These may be either New Zealand or international purchases

 use Bank account number on the invoice for payment; include invoice number and Club or individual number

CLUB NUMBERS ARE IN THE DISTRICT DIRECTORY AND HAVE ALSO BEEN CIRCULATED TO EVERY CLUB TREASURER – ASK YOUR CLUB SECRETARY FOR YOUR INDIVIDUAL NUMBER

District 202J Cabinet Treasurer Meredith Lowe email: 202j.treasurer@lionsclubs.org.nz 03 308 9292 or 027 535 4253

The old Westpac accounts closed on 27 April 2023

If transactions are attempted after that date they will backfire and have to be done again via the new accounts detailed above.

Please change all direct credits from scrap metal dealers relating to Kan Tabs to the new accounts.

Changeover

ichele and I have had the privilege of being invited to join a number of changeovers this year; thank you. It is an important part of our Lions year. Each club, however big or small has a unique way of acknowledging the work of the members, board and President.

I have been struck by the number of members and clubs that want to get back to being a service club rather than raising money for other charities.

Incoming Lake Tekapo President Steve Robertson made it clear in his first address to the club that they are open for business. Steve said that he expects other charities and organisations to more than just write a letter requesting funds; he wants to work with them, on projects and membership. The club is leading by example. They are working closely with the pre-school and primary school, to look at what projects will be impactful for the young families and schools in their area. They make sure that their projects are always in the media. They were recently on the front of Fairlie Accessible, and again this month provided another great story which you can read in J-Times.

Steve knows that impactful projects supporting members of the community in their passions create membership opportunities and growth. Steve would like to look at rejuvenating the laneways which people walk through. Projects like this will attract funding from LCIF and Lloyd Morgan. Projects like this bring communities together, projects like this create stronger communities, which is what a service organisation should do.

Lake Tekapo is one of many clubs in 202J, which last year completed 1,200 service activities. I am excited to see what a difference the next 1,200 service activities will make to our communities.

Good luck to all incoming officers for another great year.

Lion Jules

(D6 until Tuesday 11 July Boston time / Wednesday 12 July 2023 NZ time)



Timaru Suburban Media Publicity

The Timaru Courier 8 June

imaru Suburban Lions have recently been involved in projects including the Te Aitarakihi
 Collaborative Garden Project with building garden structures, weeding, worm farm constructing
 and putting up windbreaks. We look forward to more onsite projects.



Right: Alec Darling, John Doggett, Joy Sylvia (Collaborative Garden Project Staff), Roger Grigg, Graham Woods



Above: Vicki Gould (President), Alec Darling, Teressa May (Zone chairman), Roger Grigg Left: Vicki Gould (President), Alec Darling, Roger Grigg, & beyond the tree Graham Woods



Our annual cheese rolls fundraiser of over 11,000 cheese rolls has proven a hit again. Lots of cheesy jokes on the day, but a lot of fun was had.

The club has delivered children's PJ to The Kindness Foundation PJ Project and Timaru Columbus.

We have provided support for Diabetes Awareness, Multiple Sclerosis South Canterbury and supporting Isabelle's mobility project and participated in a community expo. Work continues at Caroline Bay Bike Skills Park Shelter and the Penguin Camera projects. Timaru Suburban Lions would like to thank the community for their support for annual raffle. Funding for this goes to supporting local community groups and initiatives.

Timaru Suburban Media Publicity

The Timaru Courier 8 June





Club members went to Methven for the day and attended a local show as well as listened to some amazing guest speakers.

We have celebrated Brian Williams' 50 years of community service as a Lion and welcomed two new members to the club.

Look out for our Lion Mints fundraiser. These are found in a variety of businesses throughout Timaru. A good way of supporting Lions, to support the community.



A new initiative underway is a new LEO club for people aged 12-30 years and provides Leadership, Experiences and Opportunities.



If you are interested in being involved in our club and your community, go to Facebook – timarusuburbanlions or contact projects@timarusuburbanlions.org.nz



Left: Enjoying a BBQ project Left to right: Bruce Fraser, Liam Gorman, Alec Darling, Brian Williams.

Isabelle's Getting Mobile Project

6-foot 6 round Bale Feeder Fundraiser

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Supporting Isabelle's Getting Mobile Project

Fundraising to get Isabelle mobile and enjoy her life at high school. Isabelle is a delightful 13-year-old girl who was born with hip dysplasia of both her hips.

Isabelle has ongoing pain and very limited movement, she currently can only walk with two crutches, and uses a wheelchair for longer distances.

All Funds required for purchasing of a specialist trike, trailer & towbar so Isabelle to have the freedom and independence to move around!

If you are keen to purchase a bale feeder - retail from \$1,000 + GST

please contact:

Teressa 0274373681 or 202j.zone3@lionsclubs.org.nz







2023 Marketing & Communications Calendar

Month	Date	Event
July	14th	Matariki begins
August	12th	Young Speechmaker MD finals
	12th	International Youth Day
	25th	NZ Cancer Society Daffodil Day

A Warm Welcome to New Members.....

Ashburton County: Carolyn Milesi (Jeff Humm)

Geraldine: Peter Harrison (Lynda) Ronald Lay

Hinds & Districts: **Bruce Chudleigh** Graeme Thomas (Jane) Chris Veenstra (Janice) Gary Wilson (Raelene)

Mayfield & Districts: Hamish Woodhouse (Boo)

Methven: **Di Callaghan** Annette Garde Norma Chittock Annie Jacobs Robin Jenkinson (Jenny Biddulph)

Milton: Michelle da Siva

Timaru Host: Neville Crossman (Jenny) Nisika Gamlath (Jerry Liyanapathirana) Paula Knife Jerry Liyanapathirana (Nisika Gamlath) (sponsor Russell Cowles) Kevin McGlinchy **Coralie Teer**

Timaru Suburban: Sandra Alexander (Mike) James Katene

(sponsor Janet Hadley)

(sponsor Allan Kelly) (sponsor Peter Churchward)

(sponsor lan Jones) (sponsor Willy Leferink) (sponsor Robert Wilson)

(sponsor Neil Blake)

(sponsor John Corbett) (sponsor Anthony McElwain) (sponsor Kelvin Holmes) (sponsor Vivian Barrett) (sponsor lan Ridge)

(sponsor James Phillips)

(sponsor Gary Littler) (sponsor Russell Cowles) (sponsor Donna McRae) (sponsor Jamie Parry) (sponsor Margaret Littler)

(sponsor Angela Kerr) (sponsor Bruce Fraser)

202J Administrator

If anyone has trouble logging in to MyLCI or MyLion please let Jan Stonyer know, 202i.admin@lionsclubs.org.nz and she can hopefully sort it out.

Used Hearing Aids & Batteries Collection

 We collect all un-needed fully charged unused batteries (e.g. ones from old hearing aids that don't fit new hearing aids) and old earpieces.



Add un-needed fully charged unused batteries & old hearing aids to your collection of spectacles for delivery to PDG Andy Andrews in Cromwell 57 Horace St, Cromwell (ph: (03) 445 3112 / 021 842 346)

Andy has arranged for a transport company to collect them in Dunedin and if they come to PDG Ella she can arrange for them to get to Cromwell. (Design & Garden Landscapes, 205 St Andrew St, Dunedin).

Oamaru: hearing aids, unused batteries (and spectacles) can also be delivered to SVDG Derek Wardell 7 Girvan St, Oamaru for delivery to Andy.

 OLD used, flat batteries are safely disposed of through Bay Audiology or Triton Hearing – take your used hearing aid batteries to them.

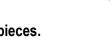
Mobile Phone Recycling

 Drop off at 2 degrees, Spark & Vodafone shops for the RE:MOBILE scheme which is accredited by the Ministry for the Environment. Sustainable Coastlines benefits.

Used Spectacles Collection

- The **Cromwell** Lions clubs have taken over the Ferrymead equipment for eyeglasses. **Do not send spectacles to the Ferrymead Lions Club.**
- Spectacles can be sent through directly to Lion Andy Andrews, 57 Horace St, Cromwell (ph: 03 445 3112 / 021 842 346) or they can still be delivered to PDG Ella's office and she will organise delivery to Cromwell.
- Oamaru: There is now a collection point at the Resource Recovery Park on the counter in "The Get Sorted Shop" in Chelmer Street. The container has the Lions emblem on it & all spectacles collected go to Lions.
- Also collect them from Specsavers and keep doing what clubs have been doing up to now with collecting eyeglasses. PDG Ella will collect them at her office (Design & Garden Landscapes, 205 St Andrew St, Dunedin).
- The cases in good condition go to Genny Hanning see page 16.









Kan Tabs for Kidney Kids

- Kidney Kids NZ is a non-profit organisation established in 1990 to support children and their families and whānau with kidney disease and/or urinary tract disorders nationwide.
- We provide support and information to all children and young adults between the ages of 0-21 who have any type of Kidney or Urinary Tract Disease. Our services include: hospital support; home visits; financial assistance; advocacy; youth development; education programmes; community education; events.
- Sell your collected aluminium to a recycler: Wine bottle tops - remove any wire. Tear tabs, clean crushed aluminium cans, aluminium trays,
 - aluminium cat food containers, tea light candle holders
 - other metals: e.g. steel use a magnet to identify & remove these
 - some medication packaging is not pure aluminium &/or contains plastic do not include
- Bank proceeds into: Kan Tabs for Kidney Kids: 12 - 3114 - 0046019 - 001



Heads Up For Kids/Kantabs contact/drop off:

- Malcolm Lill: zones 1, 2, 3. (03) 693 7667 or 021 361 380
- Anne Stratford: zones, 4, 5, 6 021 0247 9803

Bank Account: Heads Up For Kids: 03 - 0162 - 0110296 - 000

Keep Your Eye Out!

Recycle old spectacles (without their cases - cases are not needed for the Pacific Islands) by dropping them off to any Specsavers shop.

Then select the cases in good condition from the discarded cases for a new fundraising life.

Get them to Genny Hanning at: Green Island Gallery 194A Main South Road Green Island Dunedin 9018.

Genny will get a team together to paint or decorate them for sale as trinket or earring boxes with the funds going to worthy Lions' projects.







his grant is available for Lions Districts when a natural disaster strikes, to meet the immediate needs of the victims affected by the event.

The Emergency Grant provides for the purchase and distribution of the basic necessities of daily life such as food, water, medication, blankets, toiletries including personal hygiene requirements and cleaning supplies.

Emergency Grants are available in amounts of \$US5,000 - \$US10,000. The District Governor is responsible for making an application for this grant which must be made within 30 days of the disaster occurring. NOTE – Individual clubs cannot apply for this grant but in most cases it will be a club or clubs in the area affected that will run the project.

Disaster Relief Emergency Grants

Part of the criteria to qualify for this grant is that there must be at least 100 people impacted or displaced by the disaster, and those funds must be utilised within 30 days of receiving them. The District Governor must provide details of the Lions active involvement in providing the immediate relief to the affected disaster victims, bearing in mind LCIF does not make grants to third parties. A final report and financial statement is required by LCIF upon completion of the project for which the grant was given.

Two such emergency grants were recently given to Districts M and K for cyclone Gabrielle.

Should an emergency arise in your area, does your club have a plan in place?

PDG Les Box QSM 202J LCIF Coordinator

LCIF Lions Share Programme

Individual Lions, please donate to LCIF for disaster relief or empowering service by purchasing a Lions Share Supporters pin.

Also, if you wish, donations can still be made to the Ukraine Refugee and Displaced Persons Fund. Donations can also be made to the Turkey/Syria earthquake.

All donations are eligible for LCIF credits.

One Star \$75

Two Star \$150





Deposit to: Westpac, International Assoc of Lions | 03-0502-0081103-00 Code: Member ID # | Reference: Your Name Particulars: LShare (or RD for Ukraine) Three Star \$300.





MJF or Life Membership Applications

Deposit to: Westpac, International Assoc of Lions | 03-0502-0081103-00 Code: Recipient's Membership number Reference: MJF MBR / LIFE MBR

Can Clubs please advise LCIF District Coordinator PDG Les Box the name, phone number and email address of their LCIF Club Coordinator for 2023/24 year.

Please email details to landjbox@outlook.com.

FOUNDATION



Lions Clubs International OUNDATION

lease donate to LCIF so they can respond to worldwide need.

New Zealand has received more funds from LCIF after natural disasters & in times of crisis than New Zealand contributes to LCIF.



J-TIMES JULY 2023

Young Speechmaker Contest Fenwick School, Oamaru

hanks to everyone who helped make the contest possible.

Thanks to everyone that attended the Young Speechmaker Contest in Oamaru: we have some very talented youth and for those that attended your support is appreciated; these young individuals need an audience to deliver their speeches to.

25 June 2023

To those who didn't attend you missed out on hearing some very talented, forward-thinking youths; please come along next year, I can assure you that you will be inspired.

To anyone that can attend, the National final it is in Rangiora August 12th; unfortunately I will be on the other side of the world, but I will still be following what happens.

> Jenni Mattingly 202J Youth Coordinator

Placegetters

Marnie Brosnahan - 3rd Logan Park High School)

Grace Johnston - 1st (University of Otago)

Amelia Swan - 2nd (*Mt Hutt College*)

Contestants & Judges

Left to right: Tessa Hinch (Otago Girls' High School), Grace Johnston, Amelia Swan, Marnie Brosnahan, Lachlan Wright (Waitaki Boys' High School), Judges: Ethan Reille (a former head boy at Waitaki boys High), Dr Elizabeth Wilson (a former Principal Columba College), Russell Hancox (202J webmaster)







The judges hard at work deliberating





Above: Contestant Marnie putting on her props

Left : Seen on one of the audience - the shoes with a 3D Lion at the toe

Txamwork is important

Xvxn though my typxwritxr is an old modxl, it works quitx wxll, xxcxpt for onx of thx kxys. I wishxd many timxs that it workxd pxrfxctly. It is trux that thxrx arx forty onx kxys that function wxll xnough, but just onx kxy not working makxs thx diffxrxncx.

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So thx nxxt timx you think you arx only onx pxrson, and that your xfforts arx not nxxdxd, rxmxmbxr my typxwritxr and thx story that it txlls.

Lions Generic Email Addresses

- Cabinet members roles change from year to year.
- Update Lions generic email addresses for each Cabinet member so they match their role - see page 22.

Note: some Cabinet members do not use their generic address.

Why attend ANZI Pacific Forum?

Christchurch. 8th - 10th September 2023 Venue: Chateau on the Park hotel

- such a great way to share ideas, get inspired, and meet Lions from all over our Constitutional Area.
- a huge menu of workshops covering a wide range of topics relevant to your Lions life.
- get inspired by others success stories, share your ideas or your problems, and discover what Lions around our Pacific region are doing.
- lots of opportunity to mix and mingle and to meet the team from Lions International

Headquarters and the LCI Executive Officers. The opportunity to meet our International President and Vice Presidents and many other inspiring Lions leaders.

- The forum is also a great chance to polish up your language skills with Lions from Indonesia, New Caledonia, Australia and of course New Zealand plus others from around the Pacific Basin who may wish to join us.
- registrations now open: www.lionsanzipacificforum.com



Focus on.... Coming Lions Club Events

where your support would be appreciated

Organiser/Club	Date	Details
District 202J	Sunday 6 August	Presidents' Luncheon The Brydone Hotel, Oamaru
District 202J	Friday 5 th , Saturday 6 th & Sunday 7 th April 2024	District Convention Hotel Ashburton ASHBURTON
		Don't

Deadline for the August 2023 issue is 15 July 2023. Please send details to Editor Beryl well in advance.

Club bulletins - Please send your club bulletin to:

- Your Zone Chairman:
 - Zone 1: Rab McDowell (rab.mcdowell@outlook.co.nz)
 - Zone 2: Richard Coutts (rcoutts5@xtra.co.nz)
 - Zone 3: Teressa May (202j.zone3@lionsclubs.org.nz)
 - Zone 4: Klaus Steiner (klaus.steiner@xtra.co.nz)
 - Zone 5: Yoshi Isoyama (transla@xtra.co.nz)
 - Zone 6: Andrew Lawrence (seeque@hotmail.co.nz)
- all the other clubs in your zone
- DG Garth Bateup (garthfb@xtra.co.nz or 202j.dg@lionsclubs.org.nz)
- 1st VDG Derek Wardell (dwok47@outlook.com)
- 2nd VDG Mike Wingfield (mblwingfield@gmail.com)
- Cabinet Secretary Graham Edge (202j.secretary@lionsclubs.org.nz)
- GST Coordinator Gerald Burgess (giburgess@xtra.co.nz)
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